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	MEMORANDUM FOR:	Director of Reconnaissance, CIA	
25X1A	SUBJECT:	Contingency Planning for OXCART	
	REFERENCE:	Memorandum for the Record, 2534-66, dated 20 May 1966; same subject	
25X1C	proposed U.S. Oresponse to quer during OXCART de would be appropried the alter	ed for your review and comments are four Government statements to be released in ries resulting from an incident or exposure eployment and/or operations. These statements riate only if higher political authorities remativeapproach which currently able support at the State Department (See Ref.)	
	2. Obviously, it is impossible to predict with any degree of accuracy the exact circumstances which will attend an incident or exposure of OXCART activities. In the event of such a contingency, any preprepared statements will have to be reviewed and refined to accommodate the situation as it exists at that time. The attached statements do, however, represent a proposed basic government position which, if approved in advance, will significantly reduce the confusion and dilemmas which inevitably arise when an incident occurs.		
:		tached verbatim statements have not been dis- of OSA pending receipt of your views.	ſ
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